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## DECLARATION OF Alan Colman UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132

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Sir:

I, Alan Colman, hereby declare as follows:

- 1. I am Chief Executive Officer of ES Cell International Pte Ltd, 11 Biopolis Way, Helios Block #05-03/04-06, Singapore 138667.
- 2. I hold a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) Degree in Biochemistry and a Doctorate Degree in Molecular Biology.
  - 3. A true and correct copy of my curriculum vitae is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 4. I have carefully reviewed the present patent application, Serial No. 09/808,382 ("the '382 application") and have read the Official Action dated November 21, 2005. I understand that the Examiner has cited Thomson et al. (Science 282: 1145-1147, 1998) and